

Quality Indicators for the Evaluation of Patients With Lung Cancer

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e-Table 1: Number of guideline recommendations relevant to diagnosis.

	ACCP	BTS/STSGBI	ESMO	NICE
Process	1	0	0	4
Biopsy	16	3	2	4
Other	18	2	0	1

e-Table 2: Number of guideline recommendations relevant to staging.

	ACCP	BTS	ESMO	NICE	SEPAR
Clinical	1	0	2	0	0
CT chest	1	2	1	1	1
PET	2	1	1	2	1
Mediastinal staging	11	3	1	9	7
Distant mets	7	6	10	5	2

e-Table 3: Number of guideline recommendations relevant to preoperative evaluation.

	ACCP	BTS/STSGBI	ERS/ESTS
Age	1		
FEV₁	1		
DLCO	1	1	1
ppo	2	3	5
CPET	3	1	3
Other exercise	1	1	3
General		3	
Alternative surgery	1	4	3
Setting	1		3
Interventions	1		2

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